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THE ROSE HILL CEMETERY NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

Dig Down and Contribute Toward the Good Cause of Raising About \$600 for This Great Benefit.

This year and at this time would be most favorable to contribute to the fund of The Rose Hill Cemetery, for the piping for water which has been duly promised by the Water Company of Smithport and for the transplanting of forty or more trees which has been the ambition of a great many people of the town here and hereabouts. It will be necessary to pipe about 1200 feet to get what the experts in this line of work have figured out and of course it all will run into money, but for a very great cause and one that will be appreciated in years to follow, especially by the public who will by chance be traveling in that direction and will notice with respect and pride, the tidiness of our village cemetery. Let every one who feels the least bit able, extend a hand in digging down that the committees who have this in charge will meet with great success.

The committee who have this in charge are working hard and it is hoped with sub-committees to raise this amount in a very short time.

Mrs. Fred Green has this great project in hand and to her and her sub-committees you can get what ever in contribution you desire. It is planned to raise this money by soliciting and no doubt someone will call to interview you at your home or in some of the stores in town. It is also planned by the committee to grade the roads with chisels and to cut and replace the sod and other things very necessary to make a beautiful cemetery.

ERIE STIRRED TO ITS DEPTHS

The city of Erie is shaken to its center by the lamentable and shameful affair which took place in the early hours Sunday, January 16th, morning when Fred Moran, Democratic political boss was mortally wounded by Herschel Brunsfield, negro orchestra leader, in a house of ill fame, run by Geo. Quinn, a negro, and a sweetheart of Moran. Brunsfield does not give any motive for the crime, merely says he was drunk, and didn't know what he was doing. Moran died Wednesday at St. Vincent's Hospital, but refused steadfastly until the last to talk of the shooting.

The league of Women voters held a big mass meeting January 18th, and elected the city government. Another meeting was planned to join with the men voters who are organizing a "clean city association."

The Times of January 18th demanded the resignation of Mayor Kettis, Chief of Police Dietzel, Director of Streets and Public Improvements and every other city and county official that has worked at law and disorder. "Make things cleaned up, but it doesn't want any blue laws. It has no desire to be puritanical."

Moran's funeral was private at his home 903 Wayne street, Friday p. m. Herschel Brunsfield, the negro who shot him has been charged with murder, he was committed to jail without bail.

A warrant also charging Cleo Quinn with feloniously poisoning firearms was served yesterday. In default of \$1,000 bail she was committed to the county jail, and a hearing set for her case on January 28, at 3 p. m.

German Reds Once More Arm; Ready For Revolt

Huge Force Has Headquarters in Berlin—Vast Quantities of Gun and War Material Found.

Berlin, Jan. 24. —A semi-official statement issued to-day says that evidence of the existence of a red army, created by the German communist party, has been revealed by plans to house searches in Essen, Dusseldorf, Eberfeld and Bremen. The military headquarters, says the statement, is Berlin, and there are subsidiary commands in the cities mentioned.

The Brines Trial Began Yesterday

The Pennsylvania University student who was charged with the killing of Elmer C. Drewes, Dartmouth senior is already on its way. This case will excite deep interest as first degree murder, voluntary and involuntary manslaughter indictments were returned.

There has been no trial in recent years that has excited so much interest as that has attended the mysterious death of Drewes, a young man of 23, who lived alone with his widowed mother in West Philadelphia and Brines at the age of 21 his school chum who lived with his parents in the same neighborhood all to sad to be related at any great length at this time and so early in the case of which many have read something. Unbroken silence characterize the preparation of the case on each side.

These two young men were High School chums in West Philadelphia and always carried the name of being the best of friends, in battle or otherwise. Apparently robbery was not the motive for the crime as some \$900 in Liberty Bonds, was found on Drewes' person when found by the authorities thus leaving the police completely baffled for a clue of which to work upon.

On the night of October 16, he came down stairs from his room and calling to his parents told them that he was going out Reading to buy a second-hand motor car. At daybreak the next morning his lifeless body was discovered lying near a lamp post in Germantown by a lamplighter who was on his way home. This is on the outskirts of the city. An overcoat had been tucked partly about the body and a cap pulled down over his eyes. Death was due to a bullet "shot in the forehead. The rest of the story will come out in court this week when it will be known for the first time how Elmer C. Drewes came to his death, if Brines can be made to confess.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF POMONA GRANGE

One of the most important Pomona Grange meetings of the year will be held at Turtle Point Wednesday, February 2, 1921. The present period of readjustment is a critical one to the farmer and every farmer should at this time take part in all meetings pertaining to his business.

PROGRAM.
11.00 A.M.—Business Session, report of officers, reports of committees, report of subordinate granges, reports of deputies, new business.

1.00 P. M.—Installation of officers.
1. The duties and importance of the Grange legislative committee, Coryville Grange.

2. Topics of interest at the State Grange, Laura Day, W. E. Sawyer.

3. Benefits derived from a Home Economics demonstration, Turtle Point Grange.

4. Of what value is the Dairyman's League to dairymen of McKean Co? Turtle Point Grange.

5. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Godding.

6. Benefits derived from a Grange owning its home, Lafayette Grange.

7. Factors which influence the market of farm produce, Valley Grange.

8. How to build up the social life of a community, Cores Grange.

9. What can we as individuals and as local granges do to make our Pomona a greater success in 1921? Port Allegany.

10. Is the farmer today recognized in a legislative way on an equal foot-

Campaign For European Relief Through Movies

V. H. Oxley of Bradford is The McKean County Chairman of The Drive Which Will Start in a Week—Four-Minute Speakers Will be at Star Theatre at Later Date. Prepare to Give Freely.

The cries of the starving 3,500,000 children in Europe have reached the hearts of the big-hearted people of Bradford and McKean county and a movement will be put into effect next week in the towns of this county whereby each and every citizen will be given an opportunity to give of their substance to save a life or lives just beyond the Atlantic.

This good Samaritan movement will be carried on in this particular county through the medium of the moving picture theatres and under the personal direction of Victor H. Oxley of Bradford who has been appointed chairman of McKean county by the motion picture committee of the European Relief Council for the starving children of Europe.

The campaign for European Relief will be carried out in all of the towns in McKean county and it is earnestly hoped that ten dollar notes by those of great means will be cheerfully given. Remember that it will buy a life from the grim destroyer. Those will be four-minute speakers at all of the shows and motion picture houses throughout the county, who will present to the audience the needs of the little starving sisters and brothers across the sea.

dog with other industries. Smithport. 11. Do we believe in a State and National Federation of Farm Bureaus? Eldred.

12. What are the greatest needs of the farm today? Port Allegany.

13. Give ten good reasons why a farmer ought to join the Grange? Coryville.

14. Closing song.

Such a program ought to interest any farmer who is interested in his own business. The proof of the latter will be learned Wednesday, February 2, at Turtle Point. Everybody welcome.

DOG CAUGHT A WOODCHUCK.

While "doc" Charles Alphus Hazen was out for hunting Tuesday with his fox hound, near the Brennan farm just west of Smithport, he had rather a remarkable happening at this time of year with the thermometer standing around zero weather. His dog as he supposed was trailing a fox, but to his great surprise when he moved in sight the dog had killed a woodchuck. Who said that a woodchuck sleeps all winter. Mr. Hazen brought his prize to town. It is claimed by old trappers and hunters, that sometimes woodchucks have been known to get wind-blown.

PLENTY OF WORK IN PHILLY.

There has been a rumor spread broadcast that there was not any work throughout the country and on every hand you can hear people making this remark: "They say all of the factories are closing down," but this is a mistake as in Philadelphia and vicinity there are more than 2,000 positions open in every line of business that one might mention according to Sunday edition of the Philadelphia Inquirer of January 23, 1921. Half of these positions are for women. In Buffalo last week about 600 clothing workers were put back at a small cut in wages—24 1/2 per cent a day. In Massachusetts about 800 employees were put to work at a small reduction. We hope by spring time to see all of the larger manufacturers of the country again working to full capacity for it means the bread of the working man.

Nearly 700,000 people are employed by the United States government.

McKEAN COUNTY FARM EXHIBITS AT HARRISBURG

Through the efforts of the Farm Bureau, McKean County has exhibits of wool, potatoes and a purebred ram at the Fifth Annual Farm Product Show held this week in Harrisburg.

The Sheep and Wool Growers' Association have a wool exhibit and our County Agent has a purebred Shropshire ram from one of the Ram clubs. Twenty-five potato exhibits represent the Boys and Girls' Potato Club work of the county.

Good-sized banners told the thousands who attended the show of the work of the Wool Growers' Association, the Ram Association, and the club work of McKean County.

In another column will be found an outline of the many projects of work of the Farm Bureau for 1921. There are many other features of work which are not so easily seen.

Some time ago our County Agent wrote an article for different farm journals regarding the effort being put forth in the county to eradicate tuberculosis from the dairy herds. This brought the movement to the attention of the County Agent of Delaware County and the farmers of that county sent a committee of farmers to McKean County and a carload of tubercular tested cattle were sold.

Another party of farmers from Bucks County will soon be among us buying cattle simply because of the effort of the McKean County farmers to have clean herds.

At the close of last week 98 farmers had applied for the accredited herd test in the county. In this line of work McKean County leads in the state.

To push forward this and other agricultural movements a campaign has been launched to raise \$1000 from 500 farmers by a membership fee of \$2.00 each.

If the reader is interested in furthering such work in McKean County he can do so by having his money ready for the solicitor when he calls.

A shopping basket on wheels makes it easy for the children of London to take home their loads of parcels.

DEATH OF G. W. IRONS

George W. Irons died January 24, at his home after an illness of about 12 months which he bore with great fortitude, and during which he had the faithful care of his daughter Maude, a registered nurse.

Mr. Irons was born December 27, 1838 in Keating township, son of the late Odeon Irons and Miami Stark Irons, he was married in 1871 to Margaret Frenchbaugh, to them were born 9 children: Arthur, deceased, Stephen, Claude and Maude Irons, John Irons, Dunkirk, N. Y.; Mrs. Emil Hawkeson, Salamanca, N. Y.; Mrs. Gertrude Griswold, Susquehanna, Pa.; George, Jr., and Edwin who are still at home.

Mrs. Irons passed to her reward in September 28, 1887, and Mr. Irons bravely took up the task of rearing his motherless little ones.

His record as a soldier follows: He enlisted February 1862 from Philadelphia at the age of 23, as private in Co. H, 53 Pa. U. S., 18th and 24th A. C.

In the spring of 1864, he was in a hospital at Point Pleasant, Va., about 3 months with fever and ague. In February 21, 1864, he was honorably discharged from first enlistment at Washington, North Carolina by reason of re-enlistment as a United Volunteer in old command.

He took active part in the battles of Black Water, Gun Swamp, Sandy Ridge, Kingston, Bermuda Hundreds and Cold Harbor, receiving his first discharge November 23, 1864 at City Point, Va.

Mr. Irons had many sterling qualities and was a very capable man, his loss is felt deeply, both by his own family and all who knew him.

The funeral will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. at St. Luke's church, and burial will take place in Rose Hill cemetery.

TO BE MARRIED IN LOCK HAVEN

Miss Margaret Deall of Kane, Pa., who has many friends here is to be married in Lock Haven, January 29, it is announced by a very dear friend who received a letter from her and reported same to The Miner just before going to press today. The gentleman's name however is omitted and we are unable to get more facts for this issue of the paper.

THE GAME LAWS

Let each and every one pay more attention to the upholding of the game laws of the state and prepare to do his or her share toward better fishing and hunting. Carry a little grain to the pheasant while out roaming around the woods in search of other game, of course this being a mild winter there will be less need for the season of 1921 but every little will help to keep the pheasant in good shape and thusly much better sport for another year. The pheasant is sadly neglected and in most cases never thought of from one year to another, except when it is time for the open season and the old gun is taken down from its fastenings and we are off to the fields to shoot our share and never a thought as to whether there will ever be another bird to shoot in season to come. Hunters need to plan more to assist in the up-lift and enforcement of the laws of the wild animals that roam the forests and woods of McKean County and also where. Make it a business of yours at all times.

Drags Shot-Torn Leg Quarter of Mile, Only to Die on Step

Young Hunter Collapses After Terrible Experience and Dies as Parents Come to Aid.

HORNELL, Jan. 24.—With his right leg blown off by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, Charles White, 16 years old, dragged himself across the ice and fields and died on the doorstep of his parents' home in Cameron yesterday afternoon.

The boy, who was the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White, had a number of traps set on the "hick" and after the snowstorm yesterday afternoon set out to snap them.

TONAWANDA, PA. RAIDED BY THE FEDERAL OFFICERS

\$40,000 Worth of Goods Was Taken—Liquor Had Been Shipped From Scranton to Sayre, Pa.

Friday, night 29 Federal officers swooped down upon the quiet little town of Tonawanda, Pa., all set for a raid which was one of the biggest of the season and took a large quantity of booze and bootleggers and placed them under arrest. Something like 46 charges were made against different hotel keepers and restaurants of that quiet village called the "City of Promise," deriving this name from the well known Editor of the Tonawanda Daily Review, U. G. Baker who is now the sole owner of the Susquehanna Transcript, The Ward House, Kaufman House of which the owner is Lawyer David E. Kaufman, also the famous Tidd House and to the astonishment of everyone in town the Postoffice where a considerable quantity was confiscated. The officers left as quietly as they had come and journeyed to Sayre, Pa., about 23 miles further up the Susquehanna river and just above Athens, Pa. and took that town by surprise. They found some liquor that had been shipped from Scranton to Sayre and the reports are that they will immediately make arrests in these cases just as soon as the right ones involved are found. Rev. R. E. Johnson, "The ruling Pastor of Phila. in charge, is well known by many people in Harrisburg and immediate vicinity and evidently means business in the cleaning up of Bradford county by the looks.

The raids were conducted under search warrants issued in the name of the Rev. Mr. Johnson. The warrants charged with the sales of whisky to enforcement agents in all the raided places within the last two weeks.

The places in Sayre, Pa., that were raided are as follows: Park Valley House, Touhey House and the Forrest House and the restaurant of Mr. Geo. Vail.

Death of Edith Anderson.
Edith Hillegarde Anderson, youngest child of Mrs. Christina Anderson, died January 25, 1921, of Sugar Diabetes. Her mother and 5 sisters, Mrs. James Francis of Davis, Mrs. Albert Lyon, Helen, Mary and Ellen and two brothers Fred and Oscar Anderson of this place survive her. Her father, Mr. Swan Anderson preceded her to the great beyond October 20, 1917. She was born in Smithport, November 13, 1902, and has always been a frail, delicate child.

The funeral will be at the home Friday at 2 p. m. Interment in Rose Hill cemetery.

"She is not dead, the child of our affection, But gone into that school, Where she no longer needs our poor protection, For Christ himself shall rule."

BASKETBALL GAME AND DANCE

Eldred will be the road to take on Thursday evening, January 27, (tonight) to see the Smithport aggregation of ball tossers take a fall out of the famous "Spartans" of Eldred. Smithport will use such well known players as Josephson, L. Hall, Malcolm, Kohn, Shanover and in a doubt Ted Smith. After the game dancing will be enjoyed. Make arrangements and take your best girl.

McKean Co. Miner

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EDITORIAL.

"If there's smart aleckitude in a young man it's likely to drop out when he meets you in City Star. Just how do you go about it to meet a person in a revolving door?"

A Chicago doctor says the drinkers of moonshine liquor spin like a top. When a man is with his wife, it might be just as well from now on, in greeting him, to dispense with the heretofore harmless, "Old Top."

The larger cities are complaining of the increase in crime. Crime is that disregard of law and righteousness that is seldom committed by people who do an honest day's work. Wok is the preventive of crime.

Reduced prices for soda water sounds good if the fountain proprietor doesn't try to even matters up by putting in more of whatever it is in soda water that is gone by the time it is handed to you.

The sale of 40,000,000 packs of playing cards in 1920 may indicate an increase in gambling or may mean merely that our leap year eligibles insisted on having their fortunes told again after having lost faith in the ouija board.

Mankind has never been engaged in a quest. The golden grail, the fountain of youth, the passage to India, north pole—the list is myriad that is succession have lured the Argonauts of the ages. But perhaps the most interesting, if not the most exciting, is the quest of the missing link, which will bind the chain of the evolutionists into one continuous concatenation. The naturalist eagerly examines the skull of a man or beast, exhumed from the earth after centuries of repose, to see if he can bridge the chasm that lies between man and beast.

The use of advertisements in connection with church activities is not new. Still, there is an element of novelty in the advertising campaign recently conducted by the Washington Federation of Churches, which has undertaken to carry on a go-to-church-on-Sunday movement with the aid of posters, street car cards and newspaper and magazine spaces, advertising the federation's appeal for more general church attendance, says Christian Science Monitor. An interesting phase of the whole matter is that the federation is proceeding on the frank assumption that a large proportion of Washington people never think of going to church at all.

Good Men Are Wanted.
The great want of today is men, says Pennsylvania Farmer. Men who can't be bought and sold. Men with votes too honest to sell them. Men in office, too honest to buy them. Men who think twice before they speak, thrice before they act, and four times before they vote. Men quick to see and prompt to act. Men who will stand for right, firm as a rock, though powers and parties crumble, and all around seems chaos and confusion. Men prompt to condemn wrong, whether found in high places or low. Men who can look the world and the devil in the face and tell the truth. Men too large for sectarian bonds. Men who know their message and can tell it and stop when done. Men who mind their own business. Men who know how to work and are willing to eat what they earn and wear what they have paid for. Men too large and true to betray a trust for self-interest.

Standards of Living

It has been shown by statistics that the average annual consumption of food in the United States is 1900 pounds per capita, per year, while the average in Japan is 905 pounds. The American, not only eats twice as much as the Jap, but the food is more than twice as good in variety and character. To maintain this higher standard of living, the American needs a protective tariff to give him an equal chance in competition with the Jap workman who has become accustomed to plainer food and less of it. Americans could do with less food, and plainer food, if they wanted to or had to. But there is no need to sacrifice our comfort and enjoyment in order to supply a larger market for the Jap. Let's reconstruct that protective tariff barrier over which the Jap merchant must climb before he can sell his goods in America.

Christianity in Japan

In 60 years, since the opening of Japan less than one-half of 1 per cent of the total population have embraced Christianity. Some contend; therefore, that Japan's reply to Christianity is a polite but emphatic "No." Others see in this an indecentive to renewed effort, to a close study of condition and methods of approach, says Minneapolis Tribune. All agree, however, that the work must go on, that the faith must never be lowered—that has inscribed on its banners: "Go ye out into all the world and preach the Gospel." In the life of a nation 60 years is but a moment. With Japan it has been a moment filled with movement and change. If one judges Christianity in Japan broadly one cannot escape the conclusion that the spiritual gain has exceeded numerical growth; that results have warranted the long labor of the Christian missionaries.

While an individual apparently may do a number of things at once, psychologists agree that the mind can contain only one thought at a time. Thoughts, however, as we all know, can change with lightning-like rapidity. If then, we fill the mind by conscious effort with positive, optimistic good thoughts, there is no room for negative, pessimistic, detrimental thoughts. "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." More and more is this age-old truth impressing itself upon the modern, analytical mind. This is the age of triumph of personal efficiency. Right thinking is having its day. For proof study the leaders in your community.

Cancellation Impossible

The suggestion has come from many quarters, chiefly foreign, that the United States should cancel the foreign obligations it holds as a part of its contribution to the cost of the war and out of sympathy for the sacrifices made by the allies. Sympathy of that sort is misplaced. The relations between the United States and England, France, and the other allies during the war were of a strictly business nature. The aid that we rendered their cause in the crucial days of 1918 never was allowed by them to obscure any opportunity which presented itself to put money charged against the United States.

Great Britain charged us a very substantial price for sending our armies in her ships to reinforce her line in France, and every ton of supplies for those armies paid freight rates according to war prices. Our camps in England were obtained with good American dollars. It has been authoritatively stated on the floor of the Senate that in France, like large rentals were charged for American army damaged in battle were paid for by the Americans. It has even been said that American soldiers were charged one price for goods sold to them, while French soldiers paid another and lower price. As a matter of fact any sympathy that may be extended to the allies, more than offset by the gratitude they owe the United States for turning the tide of war when it was running so strongly against them.

A WISE CHOICE

President Harding will have a worthy inauguration. That will be through his own wise choice in accord with the taste and desire of the American people. There has been some discussion of the manner and method of the occasion, ended by Mr. Harding's own authoritative voice. There will be dignity and impressiveness. There will be no ostentation, no idle display, no extravagant expense. There will be no appropriation of public money from the deficit-haunted Treasury of a tax-burdened nation. There will be no "grand stand" to mar the majesty of the Capitol whose stately precincts afford a fitting stage for the most august of ceremonials. There will be no parade wearing to marchers and spectators alike. There will be no ball to engender heart-burnings and to gratify cheap vanity. There will be merely the spiritual procession of more than thirteen million citizens whose free and independent suffrages made Mr. Harding President, and the attendant audience of a hundred and five million Americans who will with confidence acclaim him as their leader in an entrance upon a new and nobler day.

Let it be clear that upon such an occasion, generous expenditure should not per se be grudged. This nation can well afford once in four years to pay an ample sum for investing with ceremonious majesty the induction of its Chief Magistrate into office, and assuredly the people should have such opportunity as they may desire for private contributions to the same end. Republican simplicity does not demand niggardliness nor dour fastidiousness. But there is a time to spend, a time to refrain from expending. At a time like the present, with an embarrassed Treasury, an over-taxed people, business depressed and unemployment rife, and with supreme need on every hand of retrenchment, economy and thrift, it will, in Mr. Harding's convincing words, be "timely and wholesome to practice the utter denial of public expenditure where there is no real necessity," and it will set "an example of economy as well as of simplicity which may be helpful in the process of seeking our normal ways once more."

The decision of the President-elect in this matter is typical, in itself and in contrast. A little more than two years ago his predecessor made a "progress" of Europe in such extravagance of lavish and sumptuous estate as the world had scarcely seen since the decadent splendors of the Caesars. To him, millions of other people's money meant no more than the small dust of the balance, when his own pomp and pride were to be ministered to. That, too, was typical. It was typical of the era of extravagance, profligacy and waste in which President Wilson plunged the nation with the recklessness of those who once cried, "After us the deluge!" And he did that with the money of a nation which, with singular deliberation and emphasis had just recorded against him a vote of lack of confidence.

Now comes his successor; a man who has just received from this nation, such a vote of confidence as no other man in the history of the country or indeed of the world had ever received. If ever there was a President who might claim a charter from the people to adopt his own course, that man is Warren G. Harding. Yet in the very act of receiving such a commission, he insists upon the spending—or, rather the saving—of the people's money with the same scrupulous care which he might apply to his own, earned by hard work and accumulated by right self-denial.

The contrast between the two performances is, we have said, typical. It is significant not merely of the personal difference between the two men, though that is by no means a negligible consideration, but still more of that of the two administrations or the two gras for which they stand. The one has been autocratic, vain, luxurious, regardless of the wishes or the burdens of the people, so only that its Dictator's personal pride and whimsies could be gratified. The other gives in doubtless promise, in the beginning of its course of genuine democracy, simplicity and quick sympathy with the desires, the needs and the aspirations of the people. It is because of its de-

monstration of this circumstance that the forthcoming inauguration promises, through the wise prescription of its chief participant, to be perhaps the most appropriate and worthy that the late history of the land has seen. —Harvey's Weekly.

Agents are beginning to come around from door to door, but even if you don't want their stuff it is worth the price of the article to get rid of 'em.

People who have no boys of military age, are confident that more wars are inevitable.

When Congress is not in session there is an imperative demand that it meet and do something, and when it is in session there is a loud holler for it to quit talking and go home.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Ghordis A. Burdick, late of the Township of Norwich, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania. Letters of Administration on the above estate having been granted November 26, 1920, by the Register of Wills of the said County of McKean, to the Hamlin Bank and Trust Company of Smethport, Pa., in the county aforesaid, request is hereby made to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, to immediately make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent, to make payment thereof, to the said Administrator without delay.

HAMLIN BANK & TRUST COMPANY,

Administrator.
By R. E. Burdick, Treasurer.
Smethport, Pa., Dec. 21, 1920.
Gallup & Potter, Attorneys.

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Delineator—2 years.....	\$4.00
Woman's Home Companion—2 years.....	\$3.00
Woman's Home Companion and American—1 year.....	\$3.50
Pictorial Review and Kuds—1 year.....	\$3.75
Pictorial Review and McCall—1 year.....	\$3.50
Pictorial Review and Today's Housewife—1 year.....	\$3.00
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Pictorial Review—2 years.....	\$4.00
Pub Price	Special Price
\$8.00 Good Housekeeper and Pict. Review—1 yr.....	\$4.40
\$7.00 Cosmopolitan and Pict. Review—1 yr.....	\$4.90
\$7.00 Hearst and Pict. Review—1 yr.....	\$4.90
\$7.00 Cosmopolitan and Good Housekeeping—1 yr.....	\$4.90
\$7.00 Hearst and Good Housekeeping—1 yr.....	\$4.90
\$3.00 Cosmopolitan and Hearst—1 yr.....	\$3.40

Mrs. H. L. Backus,
Magazine Agency.

USED CARS

Now is the time to buy your used car. If you are mechanically inclined you have the winter season at your disposal in which to become acquainted with it, polish it up, equip it with the little features you would like your car to have and be ready when spring comes, to start a season's motoring with a knowledge of your car and pride in its appearance. We have a few good, small used cars on hand. Will gladly demonstrate. Easy terms of payment.

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Prouty's Handle Factory Burned

By Fire Wipes Out Local Industry With Loss of \$75,000 and No Insurance. Houses Nearby Had Narrow Escape.

The biggest fire in Eldred in some years occurred Wednesday noon when the flames totally destroyed the handle factory of C. Prouty & Co., on North Main street, entailing a severe loss to the proprietor as no insurance was carried on the factory. How the fire started is unknown. Several employees had been laid off for a short time, the day before, owing to the wood-working force having a large supply ahead, and there had been but a few workmen in the shop that day. All had left at noon, and at about 12.30 the smoke and flames were discovered shooting up from the boiler house, connected to the main factory at the south-west corner, and just back of the dwelling house and office, also close to the factory building, occupied by Mr. Prouty's family.

The flames spread rapidly and by the time the hose was brought into use, it was apparent that it was going to be impossible to save the large frame factory building. Attention was directed toward the house and, while the many helpers carried out the contents, the firemen succeeded in checking the flames there, and saved the dwelling,

but it is charred and water soaked. The sheet iron siding on the factory building, and fortunate absence of a wind, confined the flames although houses across the street were badly blistered and would have caught fire but for the work of many with buckets and pans of water.

No one seems to know how the fire started. There had been no fire in the boiler for some time. The night before had been very cold—16 below zero—and had a fire occurred at night, or with even a moderate wind blowing, there is no telling what would have been the result.

A large amount of wood had been roughed out ready to finish, and Mr. Prouty estimated his loss from \$60,000 to \$75,000. There will be some salvage. His insurance rates were so high that he carried his own risks for years.

The factory was located 20 years ago, and had been in continuous operation. It has meant a good deal to those who had timber he could use, he paid good prices for the same. Of late years timber had become scarce hereabouts, and had to be shipped in, at a big expense.—Eldred Eagle.

land was sold at the rate of \$100 an acre. It is in the flood district, at the foot of New City hill. It was sold by E. B. Barry of Derrick City. The new owners intend to start extensive drilling as soon as the weather is favorable. Although the price of crude oil has dropped, oilmen are confident that Pennsylvania grade will always be rated at a profitable figure, and many big deals are said to be pending.

WALKS 10 MILES IN 16 BELOW ZERO.

Olean, Jan. 20.—With the thermometer 18 degrees below zero yesterday, William Abrams Jr., president and driver, man of the Olean Pedestrian Snow Shoe club, started out on a hike over the hills south of the city and across the Pennsylvania state line to Knapps creek. He walked the 10 miles in less than three hours.

Mr. Abrams wore no overcoat to hamper his heels and toe movements. He has no overcoat, anyway. A number of his friends, who accompanied him as far as the postoffice on the trail, offered to supply him.

"I will have no overcoat until I have topped being a pedestrian every season of the year," he declared. "A walker doesn't need one."

NOTICE FOR SALE

Notice is hereby given by the School District of Norwich Township that sealed bids will be received by said school district for the purchase of the interest of said School District in the school house building situated on land formerly of Ira Burdick on west side of Potato Creek and conveyed for school purposes to said School District by Ira Burdick of ux by deed dated Sept. 24th 1873 and duly recorded. Terms of sale cash on approval of bid by the School District. The School District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and all bids must be in hands of O. L. Bard, of Betula, Pa., Secretary of said School District, on or before 8 o'clock p. m. on January 28th, A. D. 1921.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NORWICH TOWNSHIP
By O. L. BARD, Secretary.
January 15th, 1921.
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LARRABEE

LARRABEE, Pa., January 26.—David Morrison, piano tuner of Port Allegany was in town Wednesday.

Lynn Carpenter who has been working in Hinsdale, N. Y., came home Saturday.

Miss Twila Bradt of Bullis Mills was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Lewis Coleman Saturday.

Craig Dunn of Coryville is spending a few days with F. D. Pendleton.

Miss Louise Ireland of Eldred was a guest of Miss Nina Lee Carpenter Tuesday.

Miss William Stickles of Coryville was a guest of Mrs. Don's Johnson Saturday.

STOVE UPSET WHEN HOUSE IS MOVED, FIRE

Olean, Jan. 20.—While a derrick was moving a house of the Garden City subdivision of the Olean Housing corporation yesterday, a stove in which a fire was burning was moved too much. The stove was tipped over and flames started in the house. Chemical company No. 1, under Fire Chief L. G. Rodgers, extinguished the blaze before much damage was done.

William Ladlee, a well hunter and trapper of Smethport, yesterday captured a wildcat, making four of these animals he has captured during the last few weeks.

The bounty on each wildcat is \$3.

OIL PROPERTY SOLD.

Olean, Jan. 20.—One hundred acres and 24 producing wells have been bought by a number of oilmen, headed by Olean Devore of this city, in one of the biggest deals made in this section of the country in a long time. The

Mrs. Kate Freeman of Emporium was a week end guest of her mother, Mrs. Henry Rasmussen.

Vard Dumas and son Deo, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. J. B. Dumas went to Buffalo Saturday morning. Mrs. J. B. Dumas will remain in Buffalo several weeks with Marie Deo to enable him to take treatment for spinal trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haynes and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haynes of Coryville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haynes are the proud parents of a little daughter, born Friday evening.

Miss Lillian Emson, Edwin Welch, and Claud Douglas of Eldred called on Miss Kathleen Johnson one evening last week.

Ara Cory, Theo and Frank Moody of Coryville were visitors in town Saturday.

There are several of our towns people suffering with severe colds.

Mrs. A. L. Dawley is convalescing.

Dr. Huff of Eldred made professional calls in town Monday.

BETULA

BETULA, Pa., January 22.—Mr. and Mrs. McCaslin of Keystone are to take possession of the Bertrand Hotel this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Zinn spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ovat.

Mr. Lynn Layton of Bradford is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burdick.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rife attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodge's Saturday evening.

A party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodge's Saturday evening. Thirty-four were present. All report a good time.

Quite a few cases of measles in town. All are doing quite well. Some have got the habit of reporting "Red measles" around. Don't know where they got the idea unless they had a pipe dream.

Wm. Bailey of Norwich spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emer Burdick's.

Otto Fox and Otto Luce were called to Williamsport on account of the serious illness of Otto Miller.

Mrs. Otto Fox is spending a few days the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gallup.

CROSBY

CROSBY, Pa., January 22.—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Grantler visited Mr. and Mrs. George Brehm of Roulette last Thursday.

The young people of Crosby gave a farewell party to Miss Fanny Sheltz at her home last Thursday evening. Refreshments were served and all report a good time. Miss Sheltz left in the morning for Bradford where she will spend some time.

Mr. Morio Wilcox returned home from Coudersport last Saturday where he spent the week.

Mr. Samuel Hendrickson spent some time in Altoona last week.

Mrs. Genie Pixley, Mrs. Jennie Mattison and daughter Lucile, Mrs. Teck & Troedson and Mrs. Jesse Gifford and son, John, were very pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Clara Wilcox last Friday.

A number of people of Crosby gave a surprise party and shower on Mr. and Mrs. Gust Anderson last Tuesday evening.

INCORPORATION NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Tuesday the 8th day of February, 1921, by Wm. J. Hartman, M. S. Breckenner, R. G. Hartman, J. S. Maloy, C. P. Hood, C. E. Cole, C. L. Lucas and M. G. Hartman, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of Certain Corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Debrah Silk Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture and sale of Thrown Silk and other Textiles, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

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NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Bessie Crabb
vs.
Frank Crabb
No. 6 Ocother Term, 1920.
McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

Whereas, Bessie Crabb did on the 7th day of June, 1920, prefer her petition to the said judges of the court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Frank Crabb.

We therefore command you the said Frank Crabb that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Bessie Crabb your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeable to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

James George,
Libellant's Atty.

J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
January 17, 1921. adv3w4

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Lottie Cane
vs.
Norman Cane
No. 68 October Term, 1920.
McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

Whereas, Lottie Cane did on the 31st day of July, 1920, prefer her petition to the said judges of the court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Norman Cane.

We therefore command you the said Norman Cane that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Lottie Cane, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeable to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

Wilson & Fitzgibbon,
Libellant's Atty.

J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
January 17, 1921. adv3w4

NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Theresa M. Crandall
vs.
Herbert E. Crandall
No. 73 October Term, 1920.
McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

Whereas, Theresa M. Crandall did on the 5th day of August, 1920, prefer her petition to the said judges of the court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Herbert E. Crandall.

We therefore command you the said Herbert E. Crandall that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Theresa M. Crandall, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeable to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

Wilson & Fitzgibbon, Lib. Atty.

J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.
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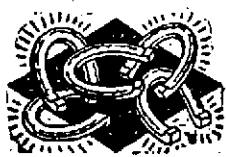
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Defendant's interest in all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the City of Bradford, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a post in West line of Howard Street 181 feet North of the North line of Washington Street; thence West 82 1/2 ft. to a post; thence North 33 feet to a post; thence East 62 1/2 feet to West line of Howard Street; thence South along Howard Street 34 feet to place of beginning. Being the same land conveyed to J. W. Davis by Corydon L. Baker and wife by deed dated August 19, 1913, and recorded in the recorder's office of McKean County in Deed Book No. 165, page 494. Improved and having thereon one 1 1/2 story frame dwelling house.

Also all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the City of Bradford, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in South line of Terrace Street 183 feet westerly from intersection of Terrace and Ascension Streets and being the Northeast corner of land hereby intended to be conveyed; thence South easterly by line parallel with Ascension Street 75 feet to a post; thence westerly by a line parallel with Terrace Street; thence along the South line of Terrace Street easterly 45 feet to the place of beginning. Being the same piece and parcel of land conveyed by the Katherine E. Schauer to John W. Davis by Deed dated June 1, 1917, and recorded in the recorder's office of McKean County in Deed Book, Vol. 175, at page 122. Improved and having thereon a frame cottage.

Also all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in the City of Bradford, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a post in the South line of Terrace Street 12 feet easterly West line of E. V. Dikeman's land; thence southerly 80 feet to the northerly line of lot sold to Mary O'Brien; thence easterly along O'Brien's North line 38 feet; thence northerly 80 feet to South line of Terrace street; thence westerly along south line of Terrace street 38 feet to the place of beginning. Being the same piece and parcel of land conveyed by Katherine E. Schauer to John W. Davis by deed dated June 1, 1917, and recorded in the recorder's office of McKean County in Deed Book, Vol. 175, at page 122. Improved and having thereon a frame cottage.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of J. W. Davis, at the suit of Mr. F. M. Nash, Trustee.

Brown, Schoemaker & Nash, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Defendant's interest in all that certain tract or parcel of land situate in Wetmore township, county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, known as Lot No. 108 bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the south line of the McKean, Elk, Forest and Clarion State road at the north-east corner of land formerly of G. Lindholm; thence by the east boundary of the same south one degree twenty minutes west (magnetic course) thirty seven and eighty one hundredths chains to a post at the southeast corner of the same; thence south eighty seven degrees forty minutes east (magnetic course) fifteen chains; thence north five degrees ten minutes west (magnetic course) forty one and twenty one hundredths chains to the south line of the said road; thence along the same south seventy five degrees thirty seven minutes west (magnetic course) nine and eighty one hundredths chains to the place of beginning. Containing forty nine acres and eighteen one hundredths of an acre and being the same piece and parcel of land conveyed by Tilda Lin, widow to W. H. Blaw, by deed dated May 8, 1919, and recorded in the recorder's office of McKean County, in Deed Book, Vol. 179, page 72, improved with an orchard and one frame barn and one frame house.

This sale is made under and subject to a certain oil and gas lease, dated January 9, 1921, between Carl Johan Oscar Lin and the United Natural Gas Company, for the production of oil and gas from said premises, and all the right, title and property of the said W. H. Blaw in and to said oil and gas lease is being sold and conveyed hereby excepting and reserving, however, the \$50.00 annual payment required to be made by the United Natural Gas Company for the gas well situate on said premises, which said \$50.00 annual payment remains the property of Tilda Lin, widow for and

during the term of her natural life, but no longer.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of W. H. Blaw at the suit of Clement Jungers.

A. P. Heur, Mullin & Woods, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., January 17, 1921.
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NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Katherine St. John

vs.

Adolph C. St. John

No. 74 October Term, 1920.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

Whereas, Katherine St. John did on the 6th day of August, 1920, prefer her petition to the said judges of the court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Adolph C. St. John.

We therefore command you the said Adolph C. St. John that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Katherine St. John, your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

Gallup & Potter, Libellant's Attys.
J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., January 17, 1921.
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NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Henry A. Lank

vs.

Ethel Lank

No. 105 October Term, 1920.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

Whereas, Henry A. Lank did on the 2nd day of September, 1920, prefer his petition to the said judges of the court of Common Pleas therein set forth that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Ethel Lank.

We therefore command you the said Ethel Lank that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Henry A. Lank your husband should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

Melvin & Melvin, Lib. Attys.
J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., January 17, 1921.
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NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Mary L. Hadsell

vs.

Claude O. Hadsell

No. 25 October Term, 1920.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

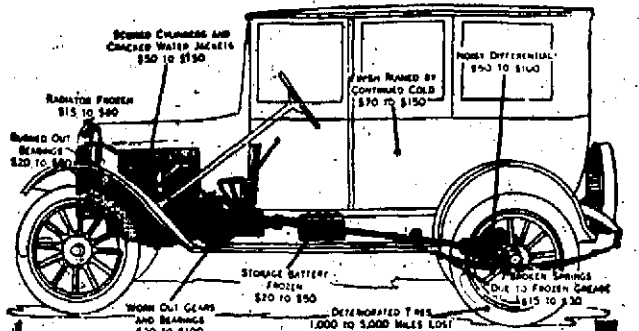
Whereas, Mary L. Hadsell did on the 19th day of June, 1920, prefer her petition to the said judges of the court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Claude O. Hadsell.

We therefore command you the said Claude O. Hadsell that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Mary L. Hadsell, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

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Gallup & Potter, Libellant's Attys.
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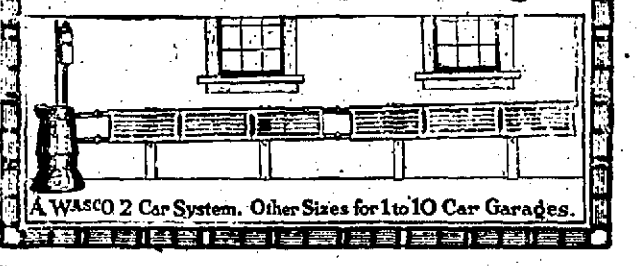
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Smethport Lodge, No. 389, meets Friday evenings at 8 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Will work initiatory degree first meeting of each month; 1st degree on second; 2nd degree on third, and 3rd degree on fourth meetings.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

—Sheriff Robinson was a Bradford visitor Saturday.

—Mr. Henry Rice is spending the week in Harrisburg.

—A. J. Gilman is spending the week in Philadelphia.

—S. O. Boers of Haverhill was a Smethport visitor Monday.

—James Witt of Bradford was a Smethport visitor Thursday.

—Mr. Thomas Dunn spent the week-end in Kane, Pa.

—Mr. B. T. Garlick is suffering an attack of tonsillitis.

—Mr. Roy Engstrom spent the week-end at his home in Kane, Pa.

—El. Bernard of Eldred was a Smethport visitor Thursday evening.

—Mrs. H. C. Wells was a Bradford visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

—Eric Josephson attended a dance at Johnsonburg Thursday evening.

—Mr. Albert O. Blowers of Coopersburg, N. Y. has joined the force at The Miner office.

—Miss Stella Larson of Bradford spent the week-end guest of her sister, Miss Nellie Larson.

—Mrs. S. F. Redfield entertained the Auction Bridge Club Wednesday evening at a dinner.

—P. S. Crossman left Sunday to attend the State Farm Products Show at Harrisburg.

—The Wak-Wak Campfire held a covered dish supper at Miss Maxine Ganss Friday evening.

—Mr. Joseph Curran of Hazelhurst spent the week-end guest of parents in this place.

—Mrs. Sue Burdick left Monday for Harrisburg, where she will spend a few weeks.

—Mr. John Baker of Johnsonburg is spending a few days as a guest of friends in this place.

—Miss Nellie Larson entertained the K. B. C. Club Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Ray Day entertained the Kensington Club Wednesday evening at her home on King street.

—Miss Vera Jones entertained the Ladies' L. S. Club Tuesday evening at her home on Main street.

—Mrs. James McKean has recovered from her recent illness, which is pleasing news to her many friends.

—Mrs. O. J. Hamlin entertained a large party of ladies Tuesday evening at dinner, followed by bridge.

—Dr. and Mrs. Clyde Long entertained the Consonant Club Monday evening at their home on King street.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Knapp are the proud parents of a boy, born Sunday. The little fellow weighed 8 1/2 pounds.

—Miss Julia Gaynor has been spending a short time in Clermont, caring for her father, who is ill.

—The Smethport Ladies' Knitting Club was entertained Wednesday at Mrs. D. M. Cooper's in Bradford.

—Miss Margaret Fry entertained a number of friends at a 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening.

—Friday evening Mrs. Paul Evans gave a farewell reception to Mr. Kotod at her home after the service.

—Mrs. Wm. Piorotti entertained the Consonant Camp Fire class Tuesday evening at her home on Franklin street.

—Mrs. D. M. Brasted entertained a number of ladies and gentlemen Friday evening in honor of her birthday.

—Why is booze like some bargains? Look for the answer in Monheimers' advertisement in to-days' Miner.

—Mrs. Lincoln Green entertained a party of little folks Tuesday from 4 to 6 o'clock in honor of her daughter Mary Lincoln's sixth birthday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Lindholm will entertain the Swedish Sewing Society Saturday evening at their home on Main street.

—Mrs. A. H. Kidder visited her brother, Frank Homer in Bradford hospital Monday and found him in a much improved condition.

—St. Margaret's Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church gave a supper and fancy dress party Tuesday evening in the Parish House.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Geary and daughters, Mary and Elizabeth attended the funeral of the former's brother at Salamanca last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Herzog and children of New Haven, Conn., are spending the week with the former's mother, Mrs. Lena Herzog.

—Miss Adela Malcolm of Washington, D. C. is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Malcolm of this place.

—Mrs. C. A. Withersow is caring for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dumjohn of Clermont who have been ill for some time.

—Mrs. W. E. Van Dyke returned from the Bradford hospital Friday. She is improving rapidly which will be good news to her many friends. She was accompanied home by Miss Helen Kane, R. N. who will remain with her for a few days.

—Margie and Home Again Blues, Brunswick records. Call at Geary's.

—E. G. Foster was in Pittsburgh on business Tuesday.

—F. D. Oakley was in Pottsville Saturday on business.

—Mrs. C. A. Withersow's father, Mr. Dumjohn, of Clermont died Sunday, following an illness extending through many months.

—Mrs. Marie Backus was quite ill last week.

—Mrs. Francis of Davis, is in town called here by the death of her sister, Hildagard Anderson.

—B. S. Fee of Ormsby was a Smethport visitor Wednesday.

—Mr. Harry Rubin left Tuesday on a business trip to New York City.

—Mrs. Anson Burdick entertained the Consonant Wednesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Albert Cleveland and son, Billy are Mr. Jewett's visitors this week.

—Mrs. Arthur McDermott went to Buffalo Monday to receive medical treatment.

—Mrs. Fred Hungerville is confined to her home by illness.

—Mrs. R. C. Gleason entertained The Phonic Club Monday evening at her home on Main street.

—John Troy of Olean was a Smethport visitor Monday.

—Mrs. Robert Rose of Binghamton is the guest of Mrs. Henry Hamlin.

—Mrs. Ada Young entertained a number of friends at cards Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Robert Rose.

—Mrs. Horace Redfield left Wednesday for Buffalo where she will spend a few days.

—Jack Morrison left Saturday for Bradford where he will be employed.

—Dr. H. L. McCoy is spending the week-end in Erie, Pa.

—Margie and Home Again Blues, Brunswick records. Call at Geary's.

—Mrs. Lewis Robinson and Miss Eulalia King are guests of Mrs. Eugene Merrill at the Hotel Lenox in Buffalo for a few days this week.

—Miss Grace Olmstead will leave Monday for Olean where she will finish her course at Westbrooks Academy.

—Mrs. O. J. Hamlin and daughter, Miribel will leave Tuesday for Bogusla where they will be the guest of Mrs. Hamlin's sister, Mrs. A. B. Wells.

—Miss Grace Olmstead entertained a number of friends Saturday evening.

—Mrs. Eugenia Hamlin, who is spending the winter in Corpus Christi, Texas, with her daughter, Mrs. William Hammer writes that the weather there is perfect, and she is enjoying it to the utmost.

—The Daughters of Isabella held a card party at the club rooms Wednesday evening. The Misses Irene McCarthy, Mattie Connolly, Julia Fay and Marie Kane were hostesses.

—Sunday afternoon eight of the choir, under the leadership of Louis G. Tanner assisted by William M. Farmham held services at the church at Lafayette Corners.

—Miss Nellie McCabe who has been spending the past few months in Texas, returned to her home in this place Saturday. Miss McCabe will start upon her duties as community nurse January 31.

—Mrs. A. M. Thamm returned to Bradford Saturday, her mother, Mrs. Mary Abbey of this place accompanied her and will spend the winter in Bradford.

—At 10:30 the citizens of that town have organized a Rifle Club. The officers are: B. S. Tee, president; William Mahoney vice president; David Pitcher, secretary; William Brown, treasurer; William Hanton, Range Captain. There are twenty members in all to start with.

—Rev. W. E. VanDyke, Dr. H. L. McCoy, E. A. Studholm, Guy McCoy and Guy Mays, left Tuesday for Erie to attend the ninth annual convention of the Diocese of Erie to be held there. During the convention Bishop Whitehead conducted a memorial service for Bishop Isabel.

—Mrs. R. Kessler entertained 15 young ladies Saturday evening at a party in honor of her daughter, Clara's fourteenth birthday. The evening was spent in playing games, prizes were given for the best singer and the best dancer, following this delicious refreshments were served.

—The Special Evangelistic Services at the United Brethren Church led by their pastor, Rev. A. L. Pang, assisted by Mr. T. M. Kodol of Warren, Pa., were closed last Friday evening. A great interest was aroused, especially among the young people.

—The Young People's Choir, under the direction of Mr. Kodol has shown great progress and has added to the interest of the meetings.

—Friends of Miss Rena, Boyer will be sorry to hear of her serious illness. Miss Boyer has been confined to her home for about eight weeks with typhoid fever. Saturday Dr. Benningshall of Bradford was called. Miss Boyer was taken to the Bradford Hospital Sunday. She was accompanied by her nurse, Miss Paulson of Kane and her sister, Miss Alice Boyer of Erie, Pa.

BASKETBALL GAMES PLAYED LAST WEEK

SMETHPORT WENT DOWN TO DEFEAT AT THE HANDS OF BRADFORD Y. M. C. A. BY SCORE OF 1 TO 34—ISADORE ERTZ FEATURED.

The Basket Ball game played between Smethport and the Bradford Y. M. C. A. teams in the Lyceum on Thursday evening proved very interesting and was replete with many good shots at the basket by both sides. Neither team was well versed on floor formations and as result there was a bit of unnecessary charging that "Ted" Smith nor any other referee could prevent. "Ted" refereed a fine game and held the play as well in hand at all times. The hall was filled at the call of play and was enthusiastic to put over a win but the "Buckals" were doomed to disaster, first by the appearance of new faces in the line-up which handicapped a team at least a third per cent. in team play. Their isn't one bit of doubt but what the "Buckals" with the proper practice and team work would be somewhat difficult to defeat. Smethport used 7 men during the game while Isadore Ertz with his Y. M. C. A. team used an equal number. The score tied twice and proved to be one of the most interesting games to watch of the season as quoted by many persons who were in attendance.

The first half ended with Smethport being on the long end of the score and everything looked rosy to the boys' score at half time being 7 to 12. But that last half with Smethport yelling like mad seemed to upset our warriors instead of encouraging them and so the final was a defeat by score of 34 to 19. It would indeed be unfair to pick individual stories but from a scoring viewpoint Ball, Rowe and Engstrom were successful. McDermott, Bush, Thompson and Denning played a hard game.

Arthur McDermott, the star center of the Smethport team had the misfortune to pull a ligament in his right foot thus making it necessary to retire from the game. Art as in bed and under the doctor's care for a few days. We hope that he will be able to get on the job within a short time.

Isadore Ertz with his All-Star Y. M. C. A. combination was working overtime to and this game and we are sorry that he did it. The score shows that Isadore caged a grand total of 6 field goals and 3 free tries from the fifteen foot mark giving him 15 points for the evening which is a pretty good average for one night's work. Closely following in his wake was a gentleman by the name of Smith with a total of four field goals and next left forward Barry. This combination seemed to have their eye on the basket most of the time. Mr. Ertz became a little peeved when at the 15-foot line the crowd began cheering but recovered his composure and delighted the fans by shooting the basket.

Hearley, Van Tynor, Kelly and Benson played well. We sincerely hope that these two teams can meet again this year as Bradford will always be welcomed in Smethport and fact is that they play good basket ball and take a defeat the same way as they take a win the same can be truly said of our boys. MOTTO. Always in for good clean sport and always remain that way we will say.

The preliminary was between two local teams and likewise proved interesting to all present.

The line-up and summary follows:

Smethport (19)	FG	FP	T
Ball, M.	3	0	6
Rowe, M.	2	0	4
McDermott, A.	1	0	2
Bush, R.	0	0	0
Engstrom, L.	2	3	7
Thompson, R.	0	0	0
Denning, L.	0	0	0
Total	14	3	19

Bradford (34)	FG	FP	T
Ertz, I.	6	2	15
Barry, H.	4	0	8
Hearley, C.	1	0	2
Smith, R.	4	0	8
VanTynor, L.	0	0	0
Kelly, R.	0	0	0
Benson, H.	0	1	1
Total	30	4	34

Referee—Mr. "Ted" Smith, and Mr. Cochran of Bradford. Time Keepers—Nellis of Smethport and Humphrey of Bradford. Time of halves—20 minutes.

THE EMORY MILL

REMNANT SALE

Opens at Bradner's Department Store of Olean, N. Y., Thursday, February 3rd. Sale will continue for 12 days.

—Mrs. Alta Ness of Bank street was stricken with a slight stroke Sunday morning about 9:30 o'clock. Mrs. Ness was sweeping the porch when this spell came upon her. She managed to get into the house and Dr. Chadwick was summoned and at this writing Mrs. Ness is resting more easily.

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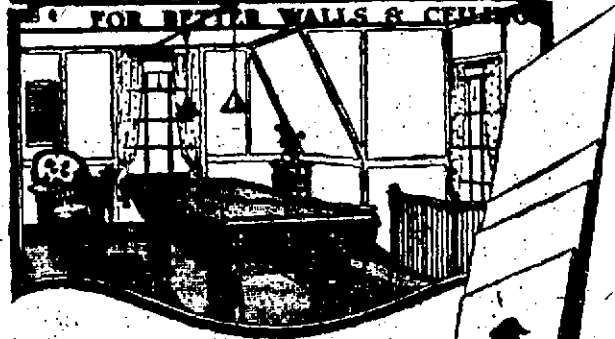
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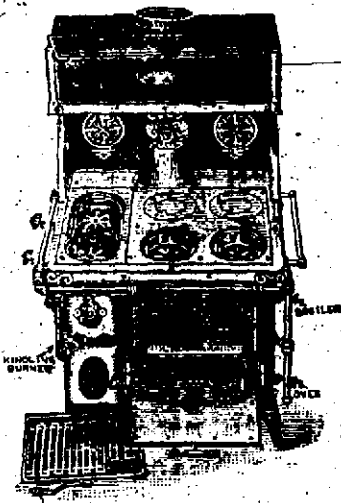
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NOTICE IN DIVORCE.

Mary J. Kibbie
vs.
Frank Kibbie
No. 48 October Term, 1920.
McKean County, ss: The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.
Where, Mary J. Kibbie did on the 14th day of July, 1920, prefer her petition to the said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Frank Kibbie.

We therefore command you the said Frank Kibbie that setting aside all other business and excuses, whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of McKean on the Fourth Monday of February, 1921, and show cause if any you have why Mary J. Kibbie, your wife, should not be divorced

from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein call not.

A true copy.
Melvin & Melvin,
Libellants' Attys.
J. F. Robinson, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
January 17, 1921. adv3w4

REMARKABLE SCHOLARSHIP RECORD MADE IN H. S.

Even the second month's record-breaking Honor Roll of students in the high school was broken by the third month's work. A total of 43 succeeded in averaging 90% or better in the four of five subjects which they carried for the twenty days of the month. This record is nothing short of remarkable for it shows that better than 40% of the entire high school enrollment is doing the most excellent of work. The list of names with their grades follows:

Mary Mether, 96.00; Hiding Began, 95.00; Edna Alvord, 94.00; Thelma Bortner, 94.25; Kathleen Abbey, 94.00; Harriet Brownell, 93.75; Lawrence Haver, 93.50; Howard Brown, 93.50; Charlotte Spangole, 92.75; Margaret Workler, 92.75; Cora Molen, 92.50; Marie Tander, 92.00; Richard Homberry, 92.00; Virginia Balmey, 91.80; Alma Johnson, 91.75; Wm. Gallup, 91.75; Robert McAlister, 91.75; Madeline McCarthy, 91.00; Martha Hochrich, 91.50; Kathryn Hangerford, 91.50; Helen Ruan, 91.50; Anthony O'Far, 91.50; Mary Haven, 91.25; Frances Taylor, 91.25; Harriet Tuttle, 91.25; Lawrence Streton, 91.25; Everett Mundy, 91.25; Russell Norman, 91.00; Robert Johnson, 91.00; Walter Monheimer, 91.00; Gladys Nourne, 91.00; Emily McCoy, 90.80; Clara Kessler, 90.80; Harriet Harzog, 90.75; Anida Van Omen, 90.75; Thelma Crawford, 90.75; Ralph Schoonmaker, 90.75; Ethel Moore, 90.40; Michael Coybistro, 90.25; Lena Anderson, 90.00; Kathryn Lingle, 90.00; Elvada Richardson, 90.00; Florence Schoonmaker, 90.00.

Bandit Takes Bible from Minister.
Chicago, Jan. 24.—Rev. Leo Wilcox was robbed of his Bible by a bandit. I need the Bible worse than you do, the robber told the good preacher. You're right, said the minister.

ROBERT HULL BROKE NOSE

Robert Hull, one of Smethport's basketball players had the misfortune to break his nose one night last week while playing a practice game on the home court. The broken member is healing nicely and in about three weeks it is thought he will be able to play again.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. N. I. Mack has been gaining but was unable to return last Sunday. He is expected for next Sunday's services. William M. Farman spoke in his absence. A quartet from the United Brethren Church, under the leadership of Louis G. Tanner, sang in the morning. The Young People's choir of the Baptist Church sang in the evening.

The Ladies' Missionary Society held an interesting meeting on Wednesday evening.

Next Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school at 11:45 a.m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Young Peoples' Social will be held at the church parlors at 8 o'clock in charge of Miss Mary E. Harrison and Miss Esther Fife.

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday, January 30. Morning worship, 10:30, sermon, subject, "The Training of Conscience." Sunday school at 11:45; Junior League at 3:00 p.m. Evening service at 7:30, singing by the Junior Choir. Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. prayer and praise service. Worship at the People's church.

—Miss Margaret Hungerville of the Grange National Bank is suffering considerably with a lame foot. It seems to be in the ligaments and she is experiencing some difficulty in walking. She had three ladies to assist her to navigate last Saturday night to do her shopping about town. She is very much better today.

Catalonia in History.

Catalonia, under the name of Hispania Tarracensis, constituted a part of Roman Spain. It was invaded and subdued by the Alans, and, after them, by the Goths, who gave the country the name of Gothallania, changed in the course of time to Catalonia. In the eighth century the Arabs gained possession of the southern part. When Charlemagne, in 788, subjugated Spain as far as the Ebro river, Catalonia formed the central portion of the Spanish mark, governed by Frankish counts who had Barcelona as their residence. They soon made themselves independent of France. In 1151 Earl Ramon Berenguer, by his marriage with the Princess Petronilla (1137), united Catalonia with Aragon, to the future greatness of which Catalonia contributed in a very great measure by reason of its wealth and the influence wielded by the citizens of Barcelona, its capital, in the western Mediterranean.

Wise Advice for Employees.

Keep, if possible, your work done far enough ahead so that you can afford to take a few days off, because of a slight illness; you need the rest that will prevent its becoming a serious one. Gain among your fellows and with your employer a reputation for steadiness and competence that will insure your job during a lull in business which necessitates the laying off of part of the force. Remember that while it is important to save money it is equally important to save energy and capacity, both of which have a money value. Dissipation, careless living, inattention to your work, all cut down your factor of safety, and make it more difficult for you to weather a storm.—John Blake, in Chicago Daily News.

LACE DRESS STYLE

Paris Dressmakers Are Successful With Dyed Fabrics.

Darkest Greens, Deep Browns, Rust Reds, Golden Yellows and Deep Blues Favored.

Apparently one need have no fear in buying a lace dress that will soon become old-fashioned as far as lace is concerned, at any rate, states a Paris correspondent. This is extremely gratifying at this time, because new things have sprung up overnight like mushrooms to such an extent during the last few years that we are glad to have something to which we may pin our faith, if it is only a party dress.

Back of all this lace agitation is a well-known propaganda in behalf of the French industry, and this propaganda has been launched at a time when the market is almost bare of merchandise. It is, therefore, not to sell goods now, as there are few laces to be had, but it is to create a movement in favor of laces in order that when the new stocks are ready the world will be clamoring for them.

Among the most interesting features of the present fashions are the dyed lace dresses. Paris last summer there was evidence of a strong revival of lace through the launching of many black and white lace dresses at the spring and summer race meets. Deauville in July and August also proclaimed the vogue of lace; but it was left for the Paris dressmaker to spring something new at the opening of her season. With lace on the crest of the wave these clever creators of novelty clothes brought out lovely dresses in dyed laces of the darkest greens, deep browns, rust reds, golden yellows and deep blues. So to be in keeping with this winter's fashions one must have a dyed lace dress, and while black and white laces are still very fashionable, the newest thing, of course, is the lace dyed in one of the new colors.

THE LEATHER WALKING COAT



For the cross-country tramp at this time of the year nothing is more suitable than a leather walking coat, colored with fur.

MODE IN SEASON'S SLEEVES

Coverings Are of Many Styles, but the Majority of Them Hang Free.

The arms follow the neck in the most fashionable gowns by being well covered with any kind of long sleeve that appeals to the fancy. The centuries pour out inspiration. There is no meagerness of output in this art of dress.

At the opera, when one sits in a box, the sleeve may be as dominating as that worn by Giselda or the angels of Burne Jones. There are square sleeves of glorious lace run with threads of metal or left plain, that reach to the knees when the arm is outstretched.

There are others which sweep to the edge of the train, then return as by an afterthought to the wrist, where they are held by a jeweled bracelet. There is no disposition to hug the arm with sleeves. They hang free. If they are small they are opened down their length, on top, to show the skin. In the theater long, wide, conspicuous sleeves are a nuisance, so they give place to short ones. The bell-shaped Spanish shape is often made of lace, of tulle, of chiffon. If it cuts the arm half way between the elbow and wrist it is awkward and ugly. It should not extend more than three inches below the bend of the elbow.

Beaded and Embroidered.
Beaded and embroidered tunics are worn over satin foundations.

BASKETBALL NOTES

The Smethport High School team played the Shingohouse team on the Lyceum court last Friday night and were defeated by a score of 31 to 29. The game was a whole was fast and exciting due to the fact that our boys nearly tied the score eight in the middle of the frame, causing the Shingohouse boys to call a halt so that they could take counsel in regard to the matter. Everything looked fine for a few moments and then they rallied and crept away to a good substantial lead, winning by the score mentioned above. The best game was played by Curran, Allison and Gallup for Smethport high. Nearly all of the Shingohouse team were in the limelight and it is hard to give credit to any one for winning the game. Just remember that this team is an old one, having played together for three successive years while the Smethport high boys have only two old players in the line-up. In our point of view the high boys played a brilliant game against such odds and much credit is due them. The game was refereed by Dr. Livermore.

The town team journeyed to Duke Center and administered a defeat to that team last Friday night by a score of 24 to 29.

The Smethport high boys will play the Coudersport high team on the latter's court this coming Friday night, January 28. It is expected that Curran, Allison, Hamilton, Ralpeny and Gallup will make the journey for sure.

RURAL "INFERIORITY"

In former years many country people have had a feeling of inferiority. They felt abashed and behind the times when they met city folks.

If any country people still feel that way they should get over it right off. City life dulls mentality, since it has so little to develop people's initiative. People sit in padded seats at shows, and see some one else do things. They do one thing over and over again in their work, and they rarely get a chance to plan for themselves.

Country life give people a chance to develop their own resources and originality, both in its work and its play. Only people who came out in those progressive times, should feel behind the game, as they see how the wide awake country folks keep in touch with modern life and go ahead in all directions.

We Understand

That travel used to broaden a man; now it fattens him.
That gentleness kindness wears away the hardest heart.
That a beautiful woman never has to argue with the hotel clerk.
That all brides are not of money, most of them are fantasy.
That women are more easily fooled about looks than men, but not about clothes.
That there once was an old fashioned girl who looked all around before she boarded a street car.
That a woman can appear sad and get sympathy but a man who appears that way is called a bore.
That everybody knows that the man with the most expensive car is not always the most prosperous.
That the quavering of cigarettes will work a greater hardening on the milp shooter than on the smoker.

DEATH OF JOHN GEARY

The death of John W. Geary of Salamanca, aged 44 years, occurred Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Salamanca hospital, where he had but recently undergone a surgical operation. Deceased was a well known B. R. & P. engineer for from 20 to 25 years and was well known all along the line. Surviving are his wife, three sons, Leo, a student at St. Bonaventure college, John W. Geary, Jr. and William Geary, at home, and one daughter, Miss Mary Geary, also of Salamanca. He also leaves his mother Mrs. Charles Geary, at Mt. Alto; two brothers, M. S. Geary of Smethport, M. P. Geary of Mt. Alto, Mrs. T. C. McCarthy of Salamanca and Mrs. Frank Shriver of Johnsonburg. The funeral services were held at St. Patrick's church in Salamanca Friday morning at 9 o'clock, with burial in the Salamanca cemetery. The death of John W. Geary is the third to occur in the family within the past nine months. Charles Geary, the father, died following the death of Charles Geary, Jr., and Wednesday occurred the death of John W. Geary.

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- \$3.00 Flannelette Night Shirts.....\$2.25
- \$3.75 Men's Arrow Shirts.....\$2.75
- \$2.50 Men's Arrow Shirts.....\$1.88
- \$1.00 Men's Neck Ties.....79c

House Dresses and Aprons 1-4 off.

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TAPESTRA and DAMASK and VELVET
PILLOW COVER and SCARFS.

Former prices on these goods nearly double these.

- 17x48 Tapestra Scarf.....\$3.50
- Damask and Tapestra Pillow Cover.....\$1.75
- Car Plush Pillow Cover.....\$2.75

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